

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) ~~The method according to Claim 1A method for treating chondroma and chondrosarcoma, which comprises administering, to a subject in need thereof, a substance which inhibits binding of parathyroid hormone related peptide to a receptor thereof, wherein the substance is an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody, anti-PTHrP(1-34) antibody.~~

4. (Currently Amended) ~~The method according to Claim 3, wherein the substance is a fragment and/or a modified antibody of an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody anti-PTHrP(1-34) antibody.~~

5. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 3, wherein the antibody is a monoclonal antibody.

6. (Previously presented) The method according to Claim 3, wherein the antibody is a humanized or chimerized antibody.

7. (Currently amended) ~~The method according to Claim 6, wherein the humanized antibody is a humanized obtained from an antibody produced by hybridoma clone deposited as FERM BP-5631.~~

8. (Cancelled)

9. (Currently Amended) ~~The method according to Claim 8 A method of inducing apoptosis in chondroma and chondrosarcoma cells by administering a substance which inhibits binding of parathyroid hormone related peptide and a receptor thereof, wherein the substance is anti-PTHrP(1-34) antibody an anti-parathyroid hormone related peptide antibody.~~

10. (Currently Amended) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced through the control of Bcl-2/Bax by the anti-PTHrP(1-34) antibody~~anti-parathyroid hormone regulated peptide antibody~~.

11. (Currently Amended) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced through the control of caspase 3 by the anti-PTHrP(1-34) antibody~~anti-parathyroid hormone regulated peptide antibody~~.

12. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced *in vivo*.

13. (Previously Presented) The method according to Claim 9, wherein the apoptosis is induced *in vitro*.